

APPENDIX B

WHITEWATER WATERS ASSESSED IN THE

CLEAN WATER ACT SECTION 305(B) REPORT

Statewide data from the state's Clean Water Act Section 305(B) Report are available at the link below (IDEM's Office of Water Quality website) (<http://www.state.in.us/idem/water/planbr/wqs/quality.html>). Adobe Acrobat Reader(tm) is required to read these files.

- **Attachment A** - 1998 305 (B) Report (Upper White, Lower White, Patoka)
- **Attachment B** - 1999 & 2000 305 (B) Report (Eel-Wabash, Lower East Fork White, Middle Wabash-Deer, Muscatatuck, Salamonie, Upper East Fork White, Upper Wabash, Whitewater)
- **Attachment C** - 2001 305 (B) Report (Lower Wabash, Middle Wabash-Busseron, Middle Wabash-Little Vermilion, Sugar)
- **Attachment D** - 2002 305 (B) Report (Blue-Sinking, Little Calumet-Galien, Lower Ohio-Little Pigeon, Silver-Little Kentucky, St. Joseph-Maumee)

APPENDIX C
Potential Stakeholders
in the Whitewater Watershed

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Cikana State Fish Hatchery
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Martinsville, IN 46151
765-342-5527

Driftwood State Fish Hatchery
4931 S. CR 250 W.
Vallonia, IN 47281
812-358-4110

Historic Hoosier Hills RC & D, Inc.
1981 S. Industrial Park Road
Suite 1
Versailles, IN 47042-0407
812-689-6410x5

Hoosier Environmental Council
PO Box 1145
Indianapolis, IN 46206
317-685-8800

Hoosier River Watch
5785 Glenn Rd.
Indianapolis, Indiana 46216-1066
317-541-0617

Indiana Lakes Management Society
207 S. Wayne St., Suite B
Angola, IN 46703

Indiana Waterways Association
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Terre Haute, IN 47804
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Indiana Division President
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Portage, IN 46368-2448
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Know Your Watershed
Conservation Technology Information Ctr
1220 Potter Drive, Room 170
West Lafayette, IN 47906-1383
765-494-9555

National Audubon Society
700 Broadway
New York, NY 10003
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Ohio River Conservancy
1020 N. Indiana
Bloomington, IN 47408-2041
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Oxbow, Inc.
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Cincinnati, IN 45243

Red-tail Conservancy, Inc.
PO Box 8
Muncie, IN 47308-0008
765-288-2587

The Nature Conservancy
1505 N. Delaware St., Suite 200
Indianapolis, Indiana 46202
317-951-8818

Tri-Lakes Fisheries Station
5570 N. Fish Hatchery Road
Columbia City, IN 46725
219-691-3181

Whitewater Valley Land Trust, Inc.
4910 Shoemaker Road
Centerville, IN 47330-9751
765-962-2427

Dearborn County Farm Service Agency (Dearborn County)
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Aurora, IN 47001
812-926-2406

Dearborn County Health Department (Dearborn County)
215 W. High St. #B
Lawrenceburg, IN 47025
812-537-8826

Dearborn County Purdue Univ. Co-op Extension Service (Dearborn County)
233 Main St.
Aurora, IN 47001
812-926-1189

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Dearborn County USDA-NRCS (Dearborn County)

10729 Randall Ave
Aurora, IN 47001
812-926-2406

Decatur County Department of Health (Decatur County)

801 N. Lincoln Street
Greensburg, IN 47240
812-663-8301

Decatur County Drainage Board (Decatur County)

150 Courthouse Square
Suite 109
Greensburg, IN 47240
812-663-2546

Decatur County Farm Service Agency (Decatur County)

Greensburg Service Center
108 Smith Rd
Greensburg, IN 47240-8295
812-663-8676

Decatur County Government Offices (Decatur County)

314 N. Michigan
Greensburg, Indiana 47240
812-663-3344

Decatur County Purdue Univ. Co-op Extension Service (Decatur County)

545 S. 200 W.
Greensburg, IN 47240
812-663-8388

Decatur County SWCD (Decatur County)

108 Smith Rd
Greensburg, IN
812-663-8685

Decatur County Surveyor (Decatur County)

1672 N. County Rd. 80 NE
Greensburg, IN 47240
812-663-2615

Decatur County USDA-NRCS (Decatur County)

108 Smith Road
Greensburg, IN 47240-8217
812-663-8676

City of Connersville Mayors Office (Fayette County)

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Connersville, IN 47331
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Connersville Utilities (Fayette County)

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Connersville, IN 47331
765-825-8995

Everton Water Corp. (Fayette County)

5471 South State Road 1
Connersville, IN 47331
765-825-2158

Fayette County Commissioners (Fayette County)

c/o County Auditor
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Connersville, IN 47331
765-825-8987

Fayette County Drainage Board (Fayette County)

c/o County Auditor
401 Central Ave
Connersville, IN 47331
765-825-8987

Fayette County Farm Service Agency (Fayette County)

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Connersville, IN 47331
765-825-4311

Fayette County Health Department (Fayette County)

111 W. 4th St.
Connersville, IN 47331
765-825-4013

Fayette County Purdue Univ. Co-op Extension Service (Fayette County)

111 W. 4th St.
Connersville, IN 47331
765-825-8502

Fayette County Surveyor (Fayette County)

401 Central Ave.
Connersville, IN 47331
765-825-4412

Fayette County USDA-NRCS (Fayette County)

2590 North Park Road
Connersville, IN 47331
765-825-4311

Fayette County Watershed Initiative (Fayette County)

c/o Goode & Associates, Inc.
5335 N. Tacoma Ave., Suite 6
Indianapolis, Indiana 46220
317-254-8235

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Fayette/Union County Soil and Water Conservation District (Fayette/Union County)

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Connersville, IN 47331
765-825-4311

Franklin County Commissioners (Franklin County)

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Brookville, IN 47012
765-647-4985

Franklin County Drainage Board (Franklin County)

459 Main St.
Brookville, IN 47012
765-647-4985

Franklin County Farm Service Agency (Franklin County)

10165 A Oxford Pike
Brookville, IN 47012
765-647-2651

Franklin County Health Department (Franklin County)

459 Main St.
Brookville, IN 47012
765-647-4322

Franklin County Landfill (Franklin County)

US Highway 52 W.
Brookville, IN 47012
765-647-6710

Franklin County Purdue Univ. Co-op Extension Service (Franklin County)

483 Main St.
Brookville, IN 47012
765-647-3511

Franklin County Soil and Water Conservation District (Franklin County)

10165 Oxford Pike
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Brookville, IN 47012
765-647-2651

Franklin County Surveyor (Franklin County)

459 Main St.
Brookville, IN 47012
765-647-5651

Franklin County USDA-NRCS (Franklin County)

10165 Oxford Pike
Box B
Brookville, IN 47012
765-647-2651

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Franklin County Water Assoc. (Franklin County)

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Brookville, IN 47012
765-647-6843

Henry County Farm Service Agency (Henry County)

146 E. County Road 200 N.
New Castle, IN 47362
765-529-1002

Henry County Health Department (Henry County)

208 S. 12th Street
2nd Floor
New Castle, IN 47362
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Henry County Purdue Univ. Co-op Extension Service (Henry County)

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Newcastle, IN 47362
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Henry County USDA-NRCS (Henry County)

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New Castle, IN 47362-9201
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Randolph County Farm Service Agency (Randolph County)

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Winchester, IN 47394
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Randolph County Health Department (Randolph County)

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Winchester, IN 47394
765-584-1155

Randolph County Purdue Univ. Co-op Extension Service (Randolph County)

1885 S. US 27
Winchester, IN 47394
765-584-2271

Randolph County Soil & Water Conservation District (Randolph County)

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Winchester, Indiana 47394
765-584-4397

Randolph County USDA-NRCS (Randolph County)

975 E. Washington St.
Winchester, IN 47394
765-584-4397

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Ripley County Health Department (Ripley County)

102 W. 1st N. St.
Ste 106
Versailles, IN 47042-0423
812-689-5751

Ripley County Natural Resource Conservation Serv (Ripley County)

Historic Hoosier Hills RC&D
1981 S. Industrial Park Rd., Ste 1
Versailles, IN 47042-0407

Ripley County Planning Commission (Ripley County)

115 North Main Street
Versailles, Indiana 47042
812-689-6062

Ripley County Purdue Univ. Co-op Extension Service (Ripley County)

525 W. Beech St.
Osgood, IN 47037
812-689-6511

Ripley County SWCD (Ripley County)

1981 S. Industrial Park Rd.
Suite 2
Versailles, IN 47
812-689-6410

Ripley County Surveyor (Ripley County)

102 W. 1st N. St.
Versailles, Indiana
812-689-0504

Ripley County US Farm Service Agency (Ripley County)

Versailles Service Center
1981 S. Industrial Park
Versailles, IN 47042-9063
812-689-6410

Rush County Commissioner's Office (Rush County)

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Courthouse
Rushville, IN 46173
765-932-3791

Rush County Department of Health (Rush County)

Main Street
Courthouse, Room 5
Rushville, IN 46173-1854
765-932-3103

Rush County Purdue Univ. Co-op Extension Service (Rush County)

102 N. Main St.
Rushville, IN 46173
765-932-5974

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Rush County SWCD (Rush County)

146 E. Highway 52
Rushville, IN
765-932-2813

Rush County Surveyor (Rush County)

102 N. Main St.
Rushville, IN 46173
765-932-3184

Rush County US Farm Service Agency (Rush County)

146 E. US Highway 52
Rushville, IN 46173-7911
765-932-2813

Rush County USDA-NRCS (Rush County)

146 E US Highway 52
Rushville, IN 46173-9801

Liberty Water Works (Union County)

1 South Fairground
Liberty, IN 47353
765-458-5823

Union County Commissioners (Union County)

26 W. Union St.
Liberty, IN 47353
765-458-5823

Union County Drainage Board (Union County)

26 W. Union St.
Liberty, IN 47353
765-458-5464

Union County Farm Service Agency (Union County)

2590 North Park Road
Connersville, IN 47331
765-825-4311

Union County Government Offices (Union County)

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Liberty, IN 47353

Union County Health Department (Union County)

26 W. Union St. Ste 11
Liberty, IN 47353
765-458-5393

Union County Purdue Univ. Co-op Extension Service (Union County)

26 W. Union St.
Liberty, IN 47353
765-458-5055

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Liberty, IN 47353
765-458-7664

Union County USDA-NRCS (Union County)

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Connersville, IN 47331
765-825-4311

Indiana-American Water Co.-Richmond (Wayne County)

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Richmond, IN 47374
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Richmond City Mayor (Wayne County)

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Richmond, Indiana 47374
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Richmond Sanitary District (Wayne County)

2380 Liberty Ave.
Richmond, IN 47374
765-983-7450

Wayne County Commissioners (Wayne County)

401 E. Main St.
Richmond, IN 47374
765-973-9237

Wayne County Drainage Board (Wayne County)

c/o Wayne County Surveyor
401 E. Main St.
Richmond, IN 47374
765-973-9201

Wayne County Farm Service Agency (Wayne County)

823 S. Round Barn Rd.
Richmond, IN 47374
765-966-0191

Wayne County Health Department (Wayne County)

401 E. Main St.
Richmond, IN 47374
765-973-9233

Wayne County Purdue Univ. Co-op Extension Service (Wayne County)

401 E. Main St.
Richmond, IN 47374
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Wayne County Soil and Water Conservation District (Wayne County)

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Suite 1

Richmond, IN 47374

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Wayne County Surveyor (Wayne County)

401 E. Main St.

Richmond, IN 47374

765-973-9201

Wayne County USDA-NRCS (Wayne County)

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Richmond, IN 47374

765-966-0191

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STATE STAKEHOLDERS

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Indiana Department of Environmental Management

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P.O. Box 6015

Indianapolis, IN 46206-6015

IDEM Switchboard

(317) 232 8603 or (800) 451 6027

Agricultural Liaison

(317) 232 8587

Air Quality

(317) 233 0178

Community Relations

(317) 233 6648

Compliance and Technical Assistance

(317) 232 8172

Criminal Investigations

(317) 232 8128

Enforcement

(317) 233 5529

Environmental Response

(317) 308 3017

Legal Counsel

(317) 232 8493

Media and Communication Services

(317) 232 8560

Pollution Prevention and Technical Assistance

(317) 232 8172

Solid and Hazardous Waste Management

(317) 233 3656

Water Management

(317) 232 8670

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Indiana Department of Natural Resources
402 West Washington Street
Indianapolis, IN 46204 2748
Division of Engineering
(317) 232 4150
Division of Entomology and Plant Pathology
(317) 232 4120
Division of Fish & Wildlife
(317) 232 4080
Division of Forestry
(317) 232 4105
Division of Historic Preservation & Archaeology
(317) 232 1646
Division of Law Enforcement
(317) 232 4010
Division of State Parks and Reservoirs
(317) 232 4124
Division of Water
(317) 232 4160
Division of Public Information and Education
(317) 232 4200
Division of Reclamation
(317) 232 1547
Division of Safety and Training
(317) 232 4145
Division of Soil Conservation
(317) 233 3870
Division of Oil and Gas
(317) 232 4055
Division of Outdoor Recreation
(317) 232 4070
Division of Nature Preserves
(317) 232 4052
Indiana State Department of Health
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Indianapolis, IN 46204
(317) 233 1325

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FEDERAL STAKEHOLDERS

Natural Resources Conservation Service

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Indianapolis, In 46278

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NRCS Field Representatives are generally located with the SWCD office in each county.

U.S. EPA Region 5

77 West Jackson Blvd

Chicago, IL 60604

(312) 353-2000

(800) 632-8431

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Chicago District

111 N. Canal

Chicago, IL 60606

(312) 353-6400

Detroit District

P.O. Box 1027

Detroit, MI 48231-1027

(888) 694-8313

Louisville District

600 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Louisville, KY 40202

(502) 315-6768

APPENDIX D

FUNDING SOURCES

This listing of funding sources was derived from the May 1999 *Watershed Action Guide for Indiana*, which is available from the Watershed Management Section of IDEM (IDEM 1999b).

FEDERAL CONSERVATION AND WATERSHED PROGRAMS

Environmental Protection Agency

Section 319, 205(j), and 104(b)(3) Grants

Grants for conservation practices, water body assessment, watershed planning, and watershed projects. Available to non-profit or governmental entities. These monies, enabled by the Clean Water Act, are funneled through the Indiana Department of Environmental Management. *For details see IDEM below.*

EPA Great Lakes Program

Numerous sources of funding are available for the area that drains into the Great Lakes. The complete grants guidance and application package for EPA Great Lakes grants is on the web, and additional funding sources are at the Great Lakes Information Network (<http://www.great-lakes.net/>). Grants are submitted in early spring for most of these sources.

U.S. Department of Agriculture/Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) (See Appendix C for local federal agency contacts.)

CRP: Conservation Reserve Program.

Administered by the Farm Service Agency with technical assistance from NRCS. Conservation easements in certain critical areas on private property. CRP encourages farmers to convert highly erodible cropland or other environmentally sensitive acreage to vegetative cover, such as tame or native grasses, wildlife plantings, trees, filterstrips, or riparian buffers. Easements are for 10 or 15 years, depending on vegetative cover, and compensation payments are made yearly to replace income lost through not farming the land. Cost share is available for planting vegetative cover on restored areas. <http://www.fsa.usda.gov/dafp/cepd/crp.htm>

EQIP: Environmental Quality Incentive Program.

Administered by the NRCS. Provides technical, financial, and educational assistance. Conservation cost-share program for implementing Best Management Practices, available to agricultural producers who agree to implement a whole-farm plan that addresses major resource concerns. Up to \$50,000 over a 5- to 10- year period. Some parts of the state are designated Conservation Priority Areas and receive larger funding allotments.

<http://www.nhq.nrcs.usda.gov/PROGRAMS/COD/cit/eqipsmry.htm>

FIP: Forestry Incentive Program.

Administered by the NRCS. Assists forest management on private lands of at least 10 acres and no more than 1,000 acres. Eligible practices are tree planting, timber stand improvement, site preparation for natural regeneration, and other related activities. Land must be suitable for conversion from nonforest to forest land, for reforestation, or for improved forest management and be capable of producing marketable timber crops. Cost share up to 65%, with a maximum of \$10,000 per person per year. <http://www.nhq.nrcs.usda.gov/CCS/FB96OPA/FIPfact.html>

Small Watershed Program.

The Small Watershed Program works through local government sponsors and helps participants solve natural resource and related economic problems on a watershed basis. Projects include watershed protection, flood prevention, erosion and sediment control, water supply, water quality, fish and wildlife habitat enhancement, wetlands creation and restoration, and public recreation in watersheds of 250,000 or fewer acres. Both technical and financial assistance are available. <http://www.ftw.nrcs.usda.gov/pl566/pl566.html>

WRP: Wetland Reserve Program.

Administered by the NRCS. Easement and restoration program to restore marginal agricultural land to wetland. Easements may be for 10 years, 30 years, or permanent. Longer easements are preferred. Partnerships with other acquisition programs are encouraged. Restoration and legal costs are paid by NRCS. Landowner retains ownership of the property and may use the land in ways that do not interfere with wetland function and habitat, such as hunting, recreational development, and timber harvesting. <http://www.nhq.nrcs.usda.gov/PROGRAMS/wrp/>

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WHIP: Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program.

Administered by the NRCS. Cost share and technical assistance to develop and improve wildlife habitat on private land. Private landowners who are agricultural producers are eligible. A wildlife habitat plan is developed that describes landowner's goals for improving wildlife habitat, includes a list of practices and schedule for installing them, and details the steps necessary for maintenance. Cost share up to 75%, and contracts are for 10 years.

<http://www.nhq.nrcs.usda.gov/PROGRAMS/whip/>

U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Partners for Wildlife Habitat Restoration Program

Provides technical and financial assistance to private landowners through voluntary cooperative agreements in order to restore formerly degraded wetlands, native grasslands, riparian areas, and other habitats to conditions as natural as feasible. Landowners agree to maintain restoration projects as specified in the agreement but otherwise retain full control of the land. Agreements are for fixed term of at least 10 years. No more than 60% of project cost is paid by Federal moneys (the program seeks remainder of cost share from landowners and nationally-based and local entities). <http://www.fws.gov/>

STATE CONSERVATION AND WATERSHED PROGRAMS

IDNR Division of Soil Conservation

LARE: Lake & River Enhancement Program

Funds diagnostic and feasibility studies in selected watersheds and cost-share programs through local Soil & Water Conservation Districts. Project oversight provided through county-based Resource Specialists and Lake & River Enhancement Watershed Coordinators. Funding requests for Watershed Land Treatment projects must come from Soil & Water Conservation Districts. If a proposed project area includes more than one district, the affected SWCDs should work together to develop an implementation plan. The SWCDs should then apply for the funding necessary to administer the watershed project. Before applying for funding, the SWCDs should contact the Lake & River Enhancement Coordinators to determine (1) the appropriate watershed to include in the project, (2) if the proposed project meets the eligibility criteria, and (3) if funding is available. <http://www.in.gov/dnr/soilcons/lare.htm>

IDNR Division of Fish & Wildlife

Classified Wildlife Habitat Program

Incentive program to foster private wildlife habitat management through tax reduction and technical assistance. Landowners need 15 or more acres of habitat to be eligible. IDNR provides management plans and assistance through District Wildlife Biologists (see county listings). <http://www.ai.org/dnr/fishwild/about/habitat.htm>

IDNR Division of Forestry

Classified Forest Program

Incentive program to foster private forest management through tax reduction and technical assistance. Landowners need 10 or more acres of woods to be eligible. IDNR provides management plans and assistance through District Foresters (see county listings). <http://www.state.in.us/dnr/forestry/landassist/clasfor.htm>

Classified Windbreak Act

Establishment of windbreaks at least 450 feet long adjacent to tillable land. Provides tax incentive, technical assistance through IDNR District Foresters.

Forest Stewardship Program & Stewardship Incentives Program

Cost share and technical assistance to encourage responsibly managed and productive private forests.

<http://www.state.in.us/dnr/forestry/htmldocs/grants.htm>

IDNR Division of Reclamation

Appalachian Clean Streams Initiative

Funds for acid mine drainage abatement.

IDNR Division of Nature Preserves

State Nature Preserve Dedication

Acquisition and management of threatened habitat. <http://www.in.gov/dnr/naturepr/>

IDEM Office of Water Quality

State Revolving Fund

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Available to municipalities and counties for a range of water quality infrastructure projects. Funds are available for a wide variety of projects including all types of nonpoint source management projects, as well as more traditional wastewater treatment projects. Funding is through very low-interest loans. <http://www.in.gov/idem/water/fasb/srflp.html>

Section 319 Grants - Nonpoint Source Program

Available to nonprofit groups, municipalities, counties, and universities for implementing water quality improvement projects that address nonpoint source pollution concerns. Twenty-five percent match is required, which may be cash or in-kind. Maximum grant amount for local watershed projects is \$112,500, but statewide or larger scale projects may be funded up to \$300,000. Projects are usually two to three years in length. Projects may be for land treatment through implementing Best Management Practices, for education, and for developing tools and applications for state-wide use. Proposals are due October 1, 2002 for FY2003 funds. See Section 5.1.5 for more details. <http://www.in.gov/idem/water/planbr/wsm/index.html>

Section 205(j) Grants - Water Quality Management Planning Program

Available to municipalities, counties, conservation districts, drainage districts, and other public organizations. For-profit entities, non-profit organizations, private associations, and individuals are not eligible for funding through Section 205(j). Grants are for water quality management projects such as studies of nonpoint pollution impacts, nonagricultural NPS mapping, and the development and implementation of watershed management projects. Funds can be requested for up to \$100,000 and no match is required. <http://www.in.gov/idem/water/planbr/wsm/index.html>

Section 104(b)(3) Grants - NPDES Related State Grant Program

Provide for developing, implementing and demonstrating new concepts or requirements that will improve the effectiveness of the NPDES permit program. A project proposed for assistance by this program should deal predominantly with water pollution sources and activities regulated by the NPDES program. These may include innovative demonstration projects to promote statewide watershed approaches for permitted discharges, development of storm water management plans by small municipalities, projects involving a watershed approach to municipal separate sewer systems, and projects that directly promote community based environmental protection. Available to State water pollution control agencies, interstate agencies, Tribes, colleges and universities, and other public or nonprofit organizations. For-profit entities, private associations and individuals are not eligible to receive this assistance. Funds can be requested for up to \$100,000. Five percent match is required, either cash or in-kind. <http://www.in.gov/idem/water/planbr/wsm/index.html>

NOTE: proposals are due to IDEM by January 31 annually for projects beginning the following December.

PRIVATE FUNDING SOURCES

National Fish and Wildlife Foundation

1120 Connecticut Avenue, NW Suite 900, Washington DC 20036. (http://www.nfwf.org/programs/grant_apply.htm)

Nonprofit, established by Congress 1984, awards challenge grants for natural resource conservation. Federally appropriated funds are used to match private sector funds. Six program areas include wetland conservation, conservation education, fisheries, migratory bird conservation, conservation policy, and wildlife habitat.

Individual Utilities

Check local utilities such as IPALCO, CINergy, REMC, NIPSCO. Many have grants for educational and environmental purposes (IPALCO Golden Eagle Program -

http://www.ipalco.com/ABOUTIPALCO/Environment/Golden_Eagle/2001_Winners.html; CINergy -

<http://www.cinergy.com/Environment/default.asp>).

Indiana Hardwood Lumbermen's Association

Indiana Tree Farm Program. <http://www.ihla.org/leaders.htm>

Conservation Technology Information Center (CTIC)

'Know Your Watershed' educational materials are available. <http://www.ctic.purdue.edu/CTIC/CTIC.html>

Ducks Unlimited

Land acquisition and habitat restoration assistance. <http://www.ducks.org/>

National Wild Turkey Federation

Funds for turkey and wildlife habitat improvement projects. <http://www.nwtf.org/>

Quail Unlimited

Funds for quail and wildlife habitat improvement projects. <http://www.qu.org/>

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Pheasants Forever

Land acquisition and funds for local habitat improvement projects. <http://www.pheasantsforever.org/>

Indiana Heritage Trust

Land acquisition programs. <http://www.state.in.us/dnr/heritage/>

The Nature Conservancy

Land acquisition and restoration. <http://nature.org/wherewework/northamerica/states/indiana/>

Southern Lake Michigan Conservation Initiative

Blue River Focus Area

Kankakee Sands Focus Area

Upper St. Joseph River Focus Area

Tippecanoe River Focus Area

Natural Areas Registry

Hoosier Landscapes Capitol Campaign

Local/Regional Land Trusts

Land acquisition, conservation easements, and restoration

Acres Inc. (Fort Wayne, IN)

- <http://www.acres-land-trust.org/>

Buffalo Trace Land Trust, LLC (Mount Saint Francis, IN)

Central Indiana Land Trust, Inc. (Indianapolis, IN)

- <http://www.cilti.org/>

Clark's Valley Land Trust (Charlestown, IN)

- <http://www.clarkswcd.org/LandTrust/LandTrusthome.htm>

Indiana Karst Conservancy (Indianapolis, IN)

- <http://www.caves.org/conservancy/ikc/>

Laporte County Conservation Trust Inc. (La Porte, IN)

Little River Wetlands Project (Ft. Wayne, IN)

- <http://www.lrwp.org/>

Mud Creek Conservancy (Indianapolis, IN)

- <http://www.mudcreekconservancy.org/>

NICHES Land Trust (Lafayette, IN)

- <http://dcwi.com/~niches/>

Ohio River Conservancy (Bloomington, IN)

Oxbow, Inc. (Cincinnati, OH)

- <http://math.uc.edu/~pelikan/OXBOW/wm.html>

Red-tail Conservancy, Inc. (Muncie, IN)

- <http://ourworld.cs.com/rtconserv1/id18.htm>

River Fields, Inc. (Louisville, KY)

- <http://www.riverfields.org/>

Shirley Heinze Environmental Fund (Michigan City, IN)

- <http://www.heinzefund.org/>

Sycamore Land Trust (Bloomington, IN)

- <http://www.sycamorelandtrust.org/>

Wabash Heritage Land Trust (New Harmony, IN)

Wawasee Area Conservancy Foundation (Syracuse, IN)

- <http://www.wacf.com/>

Whitewater Valley Land Trust, Inc. (Centerville, IN)

Wood-Land-Lakes Resource Conservation & Development (Kendallville, IN)

- http://www.in.nrcs.usda.gov/conservation%20programs/rcd/woodland_lakes.htm

SOURCES OF ADDITIONAL FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

Catalog of Federal Funding Sources for Watershed Protection

Whitewater Watershed Restoration Action Strategy

EPA Office of Water (EPA841-B-99-003) December 1999
(<http://www.epa.gov/owow/watershed/wacademy/fund.html>)

GrantsWeb:

<http://www.srainternational.org/cws/sra/resource.htm>

APPENDIX E

STAKEHOLDER COMMENTS

The following comments were received within the 60-day public comment period after the initial public meeting introducing the draft version of the Whitewater WRAS. This meeting was held on March 20, 2002, in Connersville, Indiana. The public comment period ended on May 20, 2002.

The Whitewater WRAS has been revised to incorporate stakeholder comments, where appropriate. The following is a reproduction of the stakeholder comments:

General Comments

None

Specific Comments

None